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Letter dated 2 May 2002 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council

I have the honour to refer to Security Council resolution 1357 (2001) of 21 June 2001, by which the mandate of the United Nations Mission in Bosnia and Herzegovina (UNMIBH) was extended until 21 June 2002.

As you are aware, Vincent Coeurderoy (France) has been serving as Commissioner of the UNMIBH International Police Task Force (IPTF) since 1 April 2000. Mr. Coeurderoy, who has performed his duties with exemplary professionalism and dedication, has informed me of his intention to return to his national service at the end of May 2002. To succeed him, it is my intention to appoint Sven Christian Frederiksen (Denmark) as Commissioner of IPTF.

I should be grateful if you would bring the above to the attention of the members of the Security Council.

(*Signed*) Kofi A. **Annan**

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